

HENKES SCORNE BY THROGS ON WAY TO PRISON

Former Army Captain, Now
Man Without a Country,
May Not Outlive Sentence.

A man without a country, David A. Henkes, recently a Captain in the 14th United States Infantry with the Pershing expedition, is to-day nearing the prison, where a court martial said he must serve twenty-five years at hard labor. As he is past forty, this may virtually amount to a life sentence.

Henkes, convicted of violating his oath of loyalty by attempting to avoid service against his country's foe, left late yesterday for the Fort Leavenworth, Kan., prison in charge of two sergeants of the 22d Infantry. He wore what once was the uniform of the Regular Army. But his khaki

blouse had been shorn of the buttons and was held together with safety pins. The two silver bars of rank had been ripped from his shoulders.

As he was led along the walk from the Governor's Island prison to the ferry, officers and men made no effort to conceal their contempt for him. He made the trip across the bay on the after deck of the ferry-boat. Enlisted men and civilians discussed him in undertones, and officers on the upper deck did not even glance at him.

It was impossible for the two veteran sergeants to conceal the identity of their prisoner on reaching the Pennsylvania Station concourse. There was a two-hour wait for their train. A curious crowd gathered about them and some, especially the women, began to ask questions. Apparently they all had read the newspaper account of the prisoner's downfall.

The stares and sneers obviously annoyed the man whose khaki uniform was fastened with pins, and when the throng had increased to several hundred the sergeants asked station officials if there was not some place where they would not attract attention.

They were shown to a small room in the office part of the station, and there Henkes was kept in seclusion and safety until train time. A crowd hung about the door, however, until the party emerged, and the sergeants had to rush their prisoner through it to the platform. He will be delivered to the prison to-morrow.

It is understood that Mrs. Henkes

made her husband goodbye on the island yesterday morning, and that later he wrote her a note not to worry, but to tell him that it was said the papers seized in his home, showing he was an active friend of Germany before the United States entered the war, probably never will be made public.

No official confirmation could be obtained to-day of a report that in a cell in Castle Williams is a Chaplain in the Regular Army, sent back by Gen. Pershing on a charge similar to that against Henkes. The Army and Navy Register of Washington recently said a Chaplain had been sent back on such a charge. It is not believed likely anything will be said about the case until it has been disposed of by court martial.

German Engineer Interned in Cuba as Spy.

HAVANA, Feb. 26.—Julius Messer, a German mining engineer of Santiago de Cuba, has been arrested by Federal officers and interned in the Cabañas fortress, charged with espionage and propaganda among laborers in an effort to interrupt the handling of the sugar crop.

CAR KILLS FATHER AND SON.

Run Down at Jamestown, N. Y., During Snow Storm.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 26.—A. Alwood and his son, Erskell, were instantly killed by a trolley car on the Warren-Jamestown street line this morning, while walking on the track in a blinding snowstorm.

Divorced Wife of Lawyer Hunter Secret Bride of His Former Chum



MRS. JOHN B. KERFOOT.

Wedding a Year Ago to Kerfoot Revealed in Action Over Alimony.

Mrs. Anna Belleville Hunter, who two years ago divorced Frederick William Hunter, a wealthy lawyer, has been for a year the wife of John Barrett Kerfoot, novelist and literary editor of Life, who was named as co-respondent in a counter suit for divorce brought by Hunter and lost.

The secret marriage, which took place in Florida on Feb. 1, 1917, became known yesterday when Hunter asked the Supreme Court to relieve him of the payment of further alimony to his former wife. Hunter has been paying her \$33 a month, and he asked the court to vacate the order under which he has been making the payments without knowledge of the marriage of his former wife to Kerfoot.

Hunter and Kerfoot were classmates at Columbia and were graduated in 1887. Kerfoot's first wife, now dead, was Hunter's sister. In the divorce proceedings, Mrs. Hunter admitted that Kerfoot had lived in the Hunter home in this city and at Freehold, N. J., for twenty years without paying any board or lodging, and that he did the family marketing with money she gave him from the \$300 a month allowed by Hunter for household expenses. She said she gave Kerfoot \$117.50 a month for the purpose and asked no accounting.

According to the testimony, Mrs. Hunter crossed Kerfoot in the absence of Hunter, and a butler testified he had seen Mrs. Hunter in her room wearing tights and that Kerfoot was with her.

Hunter's counter suit for divorce was dismissed, the court holding that a case had not been made. Hunter later sued Kerfoot for \$50,000 for the alienation of Mrs. Hunter's affections. Kerfoot's defense was that Mrs. Hunter had no affection for her husband. The jury disagreed. The Kerfoots have recently been living in Pennsylvania.

HAIR COMING OUT?

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff.—Adv.

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F. M. GUNTHER TO MARRY; ONCE IN DIPLOMATIC CLASH

Secretary of American Embassy in London Figured in Incident Indirectly Involving Kaiser.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The engagement is announced of Miss Louise Hunnewell, daughter of H. J. Hunnewell of Wellesley, Mass., and Mrs. J. S. Tooker of Foxwarren Park, Surrey, to Franklin M. Gunther, First Secretary of the American Embassy in London.

Franklin M. Gunther was born in New York and was the center of a diplomatic incident in which the German Emperor also figured indirectly a few days before the outbreak of the European war. On July 21, 1914, Mr. Gunther, who was Secretary of the American Legation in Christiania, was a guest on board the American yacht Pauline during the international regatta. The

Harbor Master of Christiania requested the Pauline to change her anchorage, the space being reserved for the German Emperor's yacht Meteor. It was charged at the time that Mr. Gunther struck the Harbor Master and knocked his cap off. This was denied by Mr. Gunther.

The incident was closed on Aug. 8, when the American Minister to Norway apologized to the Norwegian Foreign Office and Mr. Gunther wrote an apology to the harbor master. Mr. Gunther is thirty-three years old and has been in the diplomatic service ten years.

Amsterdam (N. Y.) Dealer Loses Food License.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The license of Moses Newberger of Amsterdam, N. Y., has been revoked, the United States Food Administration announced to-day, because of sugar sales at more than reasonable figures. The revocation becomes effective after April 1 for a resumption of his license, provided he has refunded all overcharges.

SIX COURSES FOR SOLDIERS.

Emergency Training for Technical Occupations Provided.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Six emergency training courses to fit selective in the army have been prepared by the Federal Board for vocational education and will be distributed to schools throughout the country. They are for motor truck drivers and chauffeurs; for machine shop occupations—blacksmithing, sheet metal working and pipe fitting; for electrical; telephone repair men, linemen and cable welders; for gas engine, motorcar and motorcycle repairmen; for car-scraping engine repairmen, woodworkers, riggers and sheet metal workers.

University of Paris Offers Special Course to Americans.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The University of Paris is preparing a special course for Americans to learn the language, literature, art and history of France, the Bureau of Education announced to-day. No diploma will be given, as it is merely intended to meet the immediate needs of American students.

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Mohair Rugs in popular colorings, from 18 by 36 to 36 by 63 inches,.....at \$4.50 to 14.00

The Oriental Rug Sale now in progress offers opportunities for selection of high grade weaves at greatly reduced prices.

Odd Pieces in Chamber, Dining Room and Living Room Furniture

Will be closed out during the last days of the February Sale at Half Price.

Buffet, 18th Century Finish, formerly \$38.00,.....at \$19.00

Mahogany Serving Tables, formerly \$55.00,.....at \$27.50

Mahogany Davenport, in Cretonne; formerly \$95.00, at \$47.50

Mahogany Davenport, in Velour; formerly \$275.00, at 137.50

\$220.00 Walnut Living Room Suite, 3 pcs, at \$110.00

\$110.00 American Walnut Twin Bedsteads, pair \$55.00

Imported Settee, Satinwood, formerly \$250.00,.....at 125.00

Mahogany Dining Table, formerly \$88.00,.....at \$44.00

Mahogany China Closet, formerly \$50.00,.....at \$25.00

Black Enamelled Bureaus, formerly \$30.00,.....at \$25.00

Mahogany Arm Chairs, in Velour; formerly \$70.00,....at \$35.00

Mahogany Rockers, in Damask; formerly \$47.00, at \$23.50

Mahogany Library Table, formerly \$35.00,.....at \$17.50

Imported Walnut Hall Settee, in Cane; formerly \$180.00,....at \$90.00

Mahogany Bureau, formerly \$85.00,.....at \$42.50

Circassian Walnut Cheval Glass, formerly \$210.00,....at 100.00

Antique Ivory Chiffonier, formerly \$80.00,.....at \$40.00

Antique Ivory Bedstead, formerly \$50.00,.....at \$20.00

\$70.00 Walnut and Oak Wardrobes, mirror door, \$35.00

\$30.00 Jacobean Oak Console Table and Glass, \$15.00

FIST BLOW KILLS MAN IN FIGHT AT SUBWAY STATION

General Alarm Sent Out by Police for Little Man With Blackened Eye.

New York's entire police force is searching for a little man with a black eye. This unidentified man, detectives of the First Branch say, turned upon George A. Wigman of No. 249A Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, on the Canal Street subway platform yesterday noon after Wigman had blackened his eye and sent the latter crashing to the concrete floor, where he was found with a fractured skull.

Wigman was taken to the Hudson Street Hospital, where he died two hours later. The man who knocked him down dashed up the subway stairs and disappeared. Or he may have slipped into another subway train that pulled up just after the assault—accounts of his escape disagree.

A third person participated in the dispute which is said to have preceded the fight. Witnesses absolve him from striking any of the blows, and Detectives Killey and Morrissey of the First Branch, who are on the case, hope he may come forward and so enable them to arrest the man who felled Wigman.

Wigman is described to the police as a much bigger man than the assailant who felled him. Fellow passengers in the same subway car say the two were in a heated argument and came to blows before the train drew into the Canal Street Station, about 1 o'clock. Before the train stopped, Wigman blackened the other man's eye.

On the Canal Street platform the two men are described as peeling off their overcoats, while the third man, who seemed to have a passive interest in the argument, looked on. The little man reached up with his fist and Wigman toppled to the concrete. No one was quick witted enough to stop the little man.

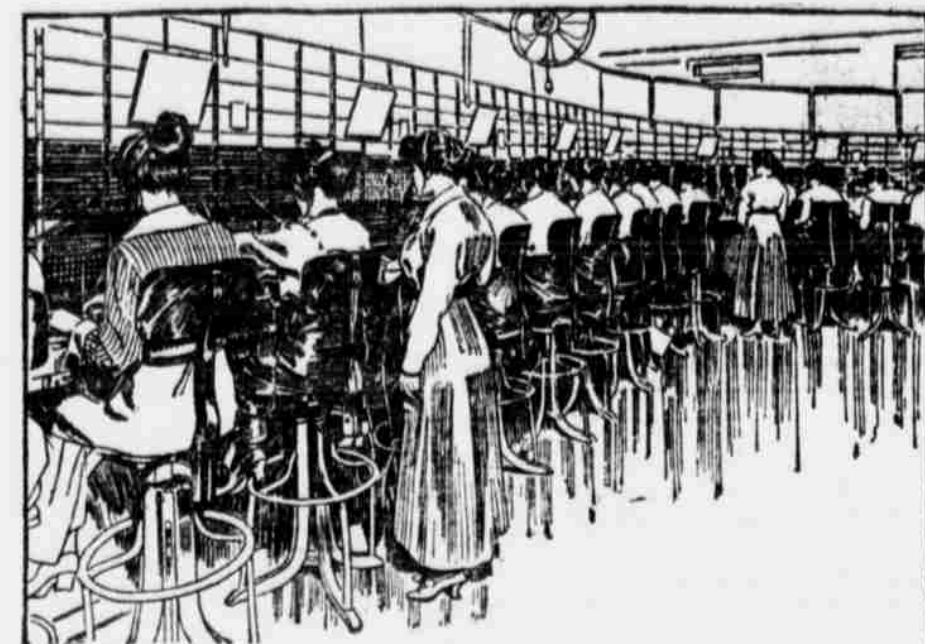
Wigman was described by the police as a salesman. He was about thirty-five, and lived with his wife and little daughter.

PREMIER BORDEN MEETS WITH EARL READING

British and American Officials at Conference Said to Concern Canadian Credit Here.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Premier Borden of Canada began a series of conferences here to-day with Earl Reading, the British Ambassador; Lloyd Harris, Chairman of the Canadian War Mission; Sir Charles Gordon, Vice-Chairman of the British War Mission, and some American officials. The question of a Canadian credit in this country is said to be the subject under discussion. Earl Reading has announced the following appointments:

Sir Hardman Lever, K. C. B., Financial Secretary to the Treasury, to be assistant commissioner in matters relating to finance; Sir Henry Baskington Smith, K. C. B., to be assistant commissioner in other matters, with the personal rank of minister plenipotentiary; Sir Richard Crawford, K. C. B., to be commercial commissioner.



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